

**Non Perm Scientific Technician 2  
White Sturgeon Management, Fish Program  
Pasco or Vancouver**

**Opens: May 4, 2010.....Closes: May 14, 2010**

There is currently a non permanent Scientific Technician 2 employment opportunity lasting up to 4 months; beginning mid to late May within the Fish Program.

**Position:** Scientific Technician 2

**Duration:** 4 months

**Anticipated Start / End Dates:** May 17, 2010 to September 2010

**Salary:** Tech 2: range 36, \$2,426 monthly.

**Duty Station Location:** Pasco or Vancouver Washington

**Work schedule:** Workweeks are Monday-Sunday, and schedules are irregular,

**Responsibilities include:**

Tagging and biological sampling of white sturgeon in the John Day reservoir of the Columbia River  
Work aboard a research vessel on the Columbia River conducting the following activities:

- deploying and retrieving setlines
- marking and tagging sturgeon
- collecting tissue samples and biological data
- Work aboard a research vessel on the Columbia River
- Operate equipment such as motor vehicles and may operate a research boat
- Typically work Monday – Thursday, 4 10-hour days per week, may involve longer hours depending on weather conditions or mechanical failures; includes days, nights, weekends, and holidays as needed, often under adverse weather conditions
- Requires some overnight travel
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**Knowledge and Abilities Desired:**

Minimum Qualifications: Scientific Technician 2: Graduation from high school or GED, including one year of high school science AND two years of experience as a Scientific Technician 1 OR Graduation from high school or GED including one year of school science AND two years of laboratory or field experience as an assistant to a biologist, chemist, or zoologist. \*College course work involving major study in biology, zoology, fisheries, chemistry, natural sciences, or closely allied field will substitute, year for year, for experience, provided course work includes at least six semester or nine quarter hours of natural science classes.

**HOW TO APPLY:** Interested persons should contact Dennis Gilliland (DENNIS.GILLILAND@dfw.wa.gov) or as soon as possible at **360-696-6211 ex 6733**, or send a completed WA State employment application to:

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